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VON HINDENBURG IS EXPECTED TO STRIKE VERY SOON

With the British Armies in France, July 9.—The next German blow, believed to be a matter of days is expected to be the last Hindenburg will be able to deliver, judging from the increasing slowness of his past effort. But nobody out here doubts that it will be the hardest he is capable of, once his men are set in motion, or that it will eclipse all previous battles in point of violence and men and material engaged.

The strange lull, which has spread for weeks up and down the lines, from one end to the other—save for occasional tiny battles here and there like the fourth of July "show" along the Somme—continues to hover grimly over the west front.

The German infantry might be sound asleep for all it is doing on the fighting line. Even the enemy airmen are sticking closer to their roost. Despite the fine weather, air fighting is considerably below the average.

Much has been printed regarding Hindenburg's delay. Some say the "Flanders fever" is the cause; others say lack of men; others that he is waiting until the roads to the forward areas are laid, so that big guns may be brought up; others believe the morale of the German troops is low.

The truth is probably a mixture of all these things, plus other things. Besides a shortage of raw materials, Germany doubtless has only a limited

output of munitions now making it necessary for her to economize over a long period in order to get enough stock to carry out operations on a scale similar to those in March and June.

Owing to the limited number of men for the armies, however, large, once the majority of German divisions are battered in battle or tired, Hindenburg must wait until they are rested, refitted and restored to optimism.

Prisoners taken since the Hamel fight, declare they had no food for two days, owing to the confusion in the lines. Low flying warplanes finally dropped bundles of "bully beef," "dog biscuit" and "hard tack" along the advanced posts. This method of relieving hunger shows the German army is less able to maintain its cohesion than formerly.

The scarcity of airmen officers is growing according to an enemy order, which says fewer officers must do reconnaissance flights, noncom being substituted. Planes are manufactured with difficulty owing to the lack of raw materials. Some of those delivered are breaking under the strain of flying, according to captured letters.

Prisoners also say there is much illness in the army, due to "Flanders fever," "grippe," "Spanish influenza," or whatever the strange malady may be called.

WAR WORK OF WOMEN IN ALLIED COUNTRIES INCREASES AS NATIONS RUSH MORE MEN INTO FIELD AGAINST HUNS



Picture at top shows women's army auxiliary corps of England being reviewed by Queen Mary and King George. At lower left is Madame Laura de Godzawa Turczynowicz, president of the Polish reconstruction committee and captain of the Polish Gray Samaritans. Below at right is group of Greek nurses awaiting the arrival of a hospital ship from France.

Woman's part in the world war grows, of course, with the rapid growth of the allied armies in the field. The organizations of women interested in every branch of war work from nursing duty at the front to caring for the crippled soldiers at home, have mounted into the thousands. Thousands of young women war workers, many of whom are members of Britain's

wealthiest families, were reviewed recently by Queen Mary and King George at Aldershot, England. The women have volunteered for active war service at the front and take special training courses. Madame Laura de Godzawa Turczynowicz, president of the Polish reconstruction committee, is taking a leading part in the Polish women's war work. She is

captain of the Polish Gray Samaritans. This organization plans to educate Polish women as nurses' aids for the duration of the war and to constitute a trained force of women for reconstruction purposes when Poland once more can be reached. The Gray Samaritans are governed by a joint committee of the Y. W. C. A. and the reconstruction committee.

SEVENTY-FIVE KILLED IN WRECK

Nashville, Tenn., July 9.—Between 75 and 100 were killed and injured when two passenger trains collided near Bessey Springs, a few miles from the city shortly after 7 o'clock this morning, according to meager reports reaching here. No details of the manner in which the collision between the two N. C. & St. L. trains occurred are available.

SERVICE FLAG IS PRESENTED CHURCH

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Reformed Presbyterian church in Cedarville, presented a service flag to the church at interesting services which were held Sunday morning. Morton Creswell, president of the Christian Endeavor society presented the flag, and it was accepted by S. C. Wright, as chairman of the congregation, who made a short speech. The principal address was given by President W. R. McChesney of Cedarville college.

The flag bears stars representing the following lads from the congregation: Lieut. Paul Creswell, in Italy with the aviation forces; Lieut. Cameron Ross, Corporal Robert Andrews, who has been wounded in the overseas service; John C. Wright, a marine who is in active service in France; Walter Boase, Charles Bratton, Herman Stormont, and two Deck Brothers.

TWELVE KILLED IN HUN AIR RAID

London, July 9.—The British air raid on Coblenz, Friday morning was the severest of the war, according to a Basle dispatch to the Express today. Twelve persons were killed and 23 injured. The northern part of the station was seriously damaged and the Rhine and Moselle bridges and the royal palace were hit. Great damage to the fortress of Ehrenbreitstein, was done.

ACCIDENT VICTIMS MUCH IMPROVED

Mrs. H. M. Cartmell and Miss Crystal Yake of New Moorefield, victims of an accident near South Charleston, Sunday night when a west bound Pennsylvania passenger train crashed into their automobile and killed three of their party, are in a more favorable condition today at the Espy hospital.

Dr. W. A. Galloway says that Miss Yake is doing very well, and that Mrs. Cartmell's condition is better than it was Monday. They are both suffering greatly from shock and more serious injuries may show themselves later.

COP KILLS BURLAR.
Columbus, July 9.—John Claproot, caught burglarizing a downtown saloon was shot and killed early today by policeman, J. B. Simms.

ARMY CASUALTIES

Washington, July 9.—General Pershing today reported fifty-seven casualties in the A. E. F. divided as follows:

Killed in action 14; died of wounds, 10; died of disease one; wounded severely 18; wounded slightly 2, missing in action 11 and prisoner, one.

Two Ohio men are in the list. They are H. S. David of Conesville, killed in action and K. B. Mayer, Cleveland, wounded severely.

MEMBERS OF THE KERENSKY CABINET ARE UNDER ARREST

London, July 9.—President Lenin has caused the arrest of M. Skobelev, former minister of labor; M. Tcher-noff, former minister of agriculture; M. Tzretelli, former minister of post and telegraph, and other members of the Kerensky cabinet, according to a Moscow dispatch received today.

The above cable would seem to bear out the Bolshevik claim that the counter-revolution in Moscow has been suppressed and would indicate that social revolutionaries formerly allied with Kerensky were among the leaders.

JOURNALIST EXPELLED.

Paris, July 8.—The Italian journalist, Hanau, recently paroled after conviction on a charge of communicating with the enemy, has been expelled from France, it was announced today.

AUSTRIANS LOSE 20,000 MEN.

Rome, July 9.—The Austrians lost 20,000 men, or half their troops engaged, during the fighting in the mountain region and on the Piave from July 2 to 6, the war office announced today.

VISIT ITALIAN SHIP YARDS.

Rome, July 9.—Premier Orlando and Minister of Transportation Bianchi today began visiting the principal Italian ship yards to estimate production.

ELEVEN HUN PLANES ARE BROUGHT DOWN

London, July 9.—Eleven German airplanes were brought down during air fighting July 7, and three British machines were lost, the air ministry reported today.

Sixteen tons of bombs were dropped on enemy targets during the day and the following night.

TRYING TO CREATE MONOPOLY

Washington, July 9.—The United Electric company, Canton, Ohio, is charged with refusal to sell vacuum cleaning machines, at standard fixed prices unless the purchaser agrees to re-sell at the company's own price and of using unfair means, tending to create a monopoly, according to a complaint served by the federal trade commission today. The company has 30 days in which to answer the complaint and the hearing is set for August 20.

SIX MONTHS TRAINING WILL BE GIVEN SOLDIERS ON U. S. SOIL

Washington, July 9.—Only seasoned men, trained at least six months on American soil are to be sent to France under a new program being worked out by the war department. Enlargement of several cantonments to accommodate thousands of additional men is part of this plan. The present practice of rushing troops across with only three weeks or more training is to be abolished now that a fighting force of considerable strength has been placed on the allied lines.

Until the first million men were landed this government desired speed above anything and men were hurried across almost as soon as they had been fitted out with uniforms and equipment. No unseasoned men were placed in the fighting line, however. Military officials worked on the theory that men can be trained faster within the fighting zone than at home.

SENATE COMMITTEE FAVORS DRY NATION DURING THE WAR

Washington, July 9.—Legislation to prohibit the sale of distilled liquors, wine and beer after January 1, 1919, and to prohibit the manufacture of wine and beer after November 1 next, was agreed upon yesterday by the Senate Agricultural Committee.

The legislation is proposed as a substitute for the pending Norris amendment to the urgency agricultural appropriation bill, which would stop the sale of distilled liquor and wine on June 30, 1919, and prohibit the manufacture of beer three months after the bill becomes law.

Provision for the exportation of liquors already produced was considered by the committee and probably will be reported in some form before the Senate acts on the amendment.

The changes had been discussed for a number of days, so that when the committee met today action was practically by unanimous consent without a record vote.

By fixing a definite date after which the sale would be prohibited of all intoxicating liquors, members of the committee believe that any change of discrimination would be avoided. They say wine growers would be enabled to dispose of this year's crop, while brewers could make use of their entire supply of malt.

The amendment as modified by the committee later was reported to the Senate by Chairman Gore as a substitute for the Norris amendment. It follows:

"That after December 31, 1918, until the conclusion of the present war, for the purpose of conserving man power of the nation, and to increase efficiency in the production of arms, war munitions, ships, food and clothing for the army and navy, it shall be unlawful to sell for beverage purposes any distilled spirits, and during said time no distilled spirits held in bond shall be removed therefrom for beverage purpose except for export."

"After November 1, 1918, until the conclusion of the present war, no grain, cereal, fruit or other food products shall be used in the manufacture or production of beer, wine, or other intoxicating malt, or vinous liquors for beverage purposes."

"After December 31, 1918, until the conclusion of the present war, no beer wine or other intoxicating malt or vinous liquor shall be sold for beverage purposes except for export."

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue is hereby authorized and directed to prescribe rules and regulations subject to approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, in regard to the removal of distilled spirits held in bond after December 31, 1918, for other than beverage purposes also in regard to the sale and distribution of wine for sacramental, medicinal, and other non-beverage uses. After the approval of this act, no distilled malt, vinous or other intoxicating liquors shall be imported into the United States.

"Any person who violates any of the foregoing provisions shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding \$1,000, or by imprisonment not exceeding one year, or both."

MARINE CASUALTIES

Washington, July 9.—Marine casualties reported today totaled fifty-two divided as follows:

Killed in action, 17; died of wounds, 10; severely wounded, 13, and missing action 12.

Seven Ohio men are included in the list. Corporal J. R. Danly, Lorain and W. L. Rounds, Wadsworth, were killed in action, L. O. Madison, Toledo, H. I. Turney, Columbus and R. H. Wilson, Cleveland, were severely wounded and A. M. Ennis of Middletown is among the missing.

FRENCH MAKE AN ADVANCE OF OVER MILE

Paris, July 9.—Striking Montdidier and the Oise French troops with the aid of tanks, advanced more than a mile on a front of two and a half miles, northwest of Compiègne, this morning.

A German counter attack was repulsed, the French war office announced, and all their gains were maintained.

Four hundred and fifty prisoners were taken.

"Between Montdidier and the Oise, French troops effected a local operation at 3:30 a. m., west of Antheuil, six miles northeast of Compiègne."

TROOPS SEARCH THE HILLS FOR DRAFT EVADERS

Little Rock, Ark., July 8.—Troops from Camp Pike and county officers were searching the hills of Cleburne county, Arkansas today for more than 20 draft evaders and their friends who engaged yesterday in a battle with the authorities near Heber Springs, in which three men were killed.

Peter Hazelwood, deputy sheriff, was killed when the alleged draft evaders opened fire on the posse under Sheriff K. W. Duke, that had surrounded the home of Thomas Atkinson.

Duke and his party retired to await reinforcements. Later they returned and a rifle battle ensued. Atkinson, and his son, Tom, 18, were killed by the officers. Others were believed to have been wounded.

The draft evaders scattered into the hills. Duke and a score of deputies, aided by a detachment of soldiers, took up the chase work.

PRESIDENT COUNSELS WITH HIS CABINET ABOUT RUSSIAN MISSION

Washington, July 9.—Already decided on the general course of aiding Russia, President Wilson today was to counsel with his cabinet as to the personnel of the mission to be sent.

This mission will be backed by a police force of allied soldiers. Each cabinet member was to submit the names of able men to form the com-

PUBLISHER OF NEW YORK MAIL IS IN THE TOMBS

New York, July 9.—Dr. Edward A. Rumely, publisher of the New York Evening Mail, was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Hitchcock, today, on a charge of perjury. His bail was reduced from \$100,000 to \$25,000, which he hoped to furnish.

It is alleged that Rumely in a report to the alien property custodian, swore the Mail was owned by Americans and that it was really owned by the German government, which gave Rumely the money to purchase it from the Mail and Express Company in June, 1918.

United States District Attorney Harper asserted in court today that government evidence would show that Rumely not only received money from Germany for the Mail, but for other purposes, also.

The preliminary hearing will be on July 23.

Dr. Rumely had a hasty consultation with his attorney, Frederick J. Powell, after he arrived in court. He stated that he had not had an opportunity to confer with his counsel.

Assistant District Attorney Harper, after having first requested bail in the sum of \$50,000, reduced his figures when told that Dr. Rumely in spite of the fact that he has handled huge sums of money many times, would not be able to furnish so large a bond.

ADMITS RESULTS OF NEXT OFFENSIVE IS VERY DOUBTFUL

Paris, July 9.—Resumption of the German offensive is necessary, but its result is doubtful Herr Strobel, an independent socialist admitted in the Prussian Landtag, according to Zurich dispatches to the Matin today.

Strobel declared that in the spring drives the German losses were more than 100,000 in killed alone. The losses in the next phase of the drive, he said, probably would be even higher. About 900,000 Americans are in France, Strobel said, which about balances the allies losses and the German gain in man power through new draft and release of men from the east front.

"Several millions more will come, unless we Germans rid the government of the war politicians."

RATIONING OF COAL ANNOUNCED BY THE FUEL MEN

Washington, July 8.—Rationing of coal to householders has just been announced by the Fuel Administration, as among the plans designed to prevent a threatened shortage of coal next winter.

Each domestic consumer will be allowed only as much coal as is found to be scientifically necessary to heat his house to 68 degrees, provided every conservation rule has been obeyed. The allowance for each householder, the announcement said, will be sufficient for comfort, but "the thoughtless and wasteful consumer who finds his allowance gone before the end of the winter, will have only himself to thank if he has no fuel with which to heat his house."

The Administration's plan involves a department of coal allotments in connection with each local fuel administration's office and this system now has been completed and will be put into operation at once. Each order for coal will be censored by comparison with the rating of the house where the coal is to be used; all doubtful cases will be carefully checked up by an inspection of the house in question and surplus coal when ordered will be refused.

All consumers who have obtained a quantity of coal in excess of their allotments, or who by deceit or misrepresentation have violated any rule or regulation of the Fuel Administration will be prosecuted.

"This system," said the administration statement, will be drastic and will introduce conditions new to the country; it will be more drastic, however, than conditions demand in the interest of all concerned. No one will be deprived of coal actually needed for heating, but no one will be allowed fuel for waste or extravagance.

"The Fuel Administration expects every one to realize the necessity and reason for this supervision and co-operate fully with the local committees entrusted with carrying out the plan."

MARTIAL LAW PROCLAIMED IN MOSCOW

Basle, Switzerland, July 9.—Martial law has been proclaimed in Moscow, according to dispatches received here today.

Several of those arrested in connection with the murder of Ambassador Mirbach are said to have admitted the purpose was to provoke the annulment of the Brest-Litovsk peace treaty.

Among those arrested was Madame Spiridonova.

GREAT TRIUMPH FOR DEMOCRACY

BY J. W. T. MASON.

New York, July 9.—The reported decision of President Wilson to send an economic expedition into Russia to help the Russians to their feet industrially, is the war's greatest triumph for democracy.

A police force to accompany such an expedition can in no way be interpreted as interference with Russia's sovereignty. Instead of military intervention, America will be engaged in peaceful penetration. Such assistance as this to the Russian people holds out not only the best promise to the Russians themselves, but also is an assurance that the spirit of world democracy will continue to dominate the aims of the allies.

Military intervention by itself contains all the elements of future trouble for the allies and might send Russia into Germany's arms.

The best way of resuscitating the Russians so that they can recover their morale and rescue their honor by paying their debts, is to give them material assistance. By holding fast to that intention, President Wilson has shown an uncompromising trust in democracy. The greatest test democracy has faced since the American and French revolutions is the attitude of the democratic nations toward Russia.

President Wilson's policy of economic help for the Russian is democracy's acceptance in time of stress of the practical teachings of the new testament.

AUSTRIA REFUSES TO ACCEPT GERMAN COMMANDER OF ARMY

Rome, July 9.—Austria has refused to accept a German generalissimo to direct operations on the Italian front, according to advices received here today.

Recent reports said that in a general shake-up of the Austrian command, Gen. Von Below, who directed the former Austrian offensive had been made commander-in-chief of the Austrian armies. Later, it was said, that Ludendorff had hurried to Austrian headquarters evidently to make Von Below's appointment effective.

PRETTY GIRLS CHEER WOUNDED AMERICAN BOYS

Paris, July 9.—American wounded arriving here met with the same cheering reception as accorded the first arrivals early in the Marne battle.

As the slightly wounded passed from the station that waiting Red Cross cars and ambulances shop girls flung down coppers on nearby flower stands hurriedly rushed over and thrust bouquets on them.

The Parisienne likes nothing better than to be seen with a wounded soldier. Decorations for bravery appeal to her, but Legions of Honor and War crosses cannot compare in her estimation with the privilege of walking with a soldier lad who has been "in the line" up there where the steel cracks men and tears the flesh. The families of France are taking our wounded lads into their foyers, and France could pay no greater compliment to Americans.

SUBMARINE IS BELIEVED IN AMERICAN WATERS

New York, July 9.—Vessels in this vicinity today were warned to watch for a German submarine believed to be operating about sixteen hundred miles east of New York.

At the same time it was learned that eleven members of the crew of the Norwegian steamship Augvald, 2,098 tons had been landed at an Atlantic Port by a liner. Fourteen others of the crew are believed to have perished in a storm. The ship was torpedoed. Indications are she was attacked in American waters.

Local Items

Miss Alice Rinck, who has been head of the millinery department in the Jobe store for the last four years, resigned her position Saturday. She will not take a new position immediately and will enjoy a vacation for several weeks.

Don't forget the July Sale at Galloway & Cherry's. adv7-9-4t

Miss Jennie Moffett, who with Emma Shepard and Miss Helen Moffett, has been visiting relatives in Bellefontaine, has returned home. Miss Shepard and Miss Helen Moffett are still in Bellefontaine.

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Miss Florence Weber of Youngstown, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Weber of East Main street.

Miss Agnes McCabe has taken a position as saleswoman in the shoe department at the Jobe store.

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Miss Adelaide Croy of Urbana, is spending several days in this city and Troy.

Miss Lucille Smith of the Indian Ripple road, is on her way home after a visit of two weeks duration in Manhattan, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Snook and son Lloyd spent yesterday in Xenia with Mrs. Snook's sister, Miss Anna May Stewart. Mrs. Snook remained over in Xenia and will return home tonight.

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WEATHER REPORT

Fair tonight and Wednesday, little change in temperature.

The wall paper stores of C. S. Johnson, L. S. Barnes & Co., and Fred Graham will be closed every Wednesday afternoon during the months of July and August, starting this week. adv7-9

Mrs. George Sugden (Winnifred Anderson), has returned from Louisville, Ky., after spending two weeks there. Her husband who is situated at Camp Taylor, has been in the hospital for a minor operation.

Attorney J. Kenneth Williamson spent the week end in Troy with Mrs. Williamson and the baby who are guests of Mrs. Williamson's mother, Mrs. C. A. Goiger.

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Mrs. Lawrence Manor spent the week end as the guest of Miss Francis Bowdle, of near Selma.

Miss Adelaide F. Croy, of Urbana, is the guest of Xenia friends and relatives, expecting to remain in this city until Saturday. She is enjoying a vacation from her duties in the office of the Daily Democrat and Citizen at Urbana.

Miss Betty King of Kings Mills, who spent the week end the guest of the Misses Helen and Jane Santmyer, returned home Monday.

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Sergeant Lawrence Swabb, who is a member of the Depot Brigade at Camp Sherman, returned to Chillicothe Monday night after spending a three days furlough in this city.

Sydney M. Bailey, of the 34th Engineers, stationed at Fort Benjamin Harrison, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bailey, and family of the Wilmington Pike. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thomas and little son and Mr. and Mrs. F. Taylor and little daughter, were also there. Mr. Bailey is expecting to leave for France shortly.

The Helpers Bible Class of White Chapel will meet Wednesday, July 10, at the home of Pearl Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Thearl White motored to Toledo where they will visit Mrs. White's brother, Clarence Chatfield. Mrs. White will spend several weeks but Mr. White will return in a few days.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

I want to announce that I will be a candidate for nomination for the office of county auditor, at the primary election on August 13th, 1918.
J. M. PAWCEY
Paul O. Wead of Yellow Springs authorizes the announcement that he is a candidate for the office of county auditor, subject to the primary election, August 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Nybladh (Olive Trader) received a telegram Monday, notifying them of the sudden death, Monday forenoon, of Mr. Nybladh's mother, Mrs. C. A. Nybladh of Chicago, and they for that city Monday evening Mrs. Nybladh had been an invalid for a long time. She is survived by her husband, who is a clergyman of the Episcopal Church, and three sons, Carl O. Nybladh, Sergeant Thor Nybladh, who is located at Camp Hancock, Ga., and Alf., at home.

Frazer's Shoe Store will close at 12:00 o'clock on Wednesday during July and August. adv

Ernest Beatty returned on Monday from Columbus, where he was operated upon for the removal of goitre by Dr. Crotti, at Grant Hospital, ten days ago. The operation was very successful. Mr. Beatty was out on the streets, Tuesday.

Mrs. Dan Nichols and little son, Daniel, have returned home after a visit to Portsmouth, where they were guests of Mrs. Nichols' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoosman.

Miss Lucille Sillito of Akron arrived here Monday, for a visit of several weeks with her father, Dr. W. H. Sillito, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Norris of Hill street.

Miss Mildred Jordan of Wilmington has returned home after spending a week with the Misses Eleanor and Marie Donges.

Miss Ruth Crawford of Cincinnati, is the guest of Mrs. William Maxwell of Rogers street.

Miss Celia Moore has issued invitations for Thursday evening, July 11, to a "kid party." The affair will be the first of the stunts to be given by ten girls who formed a camping party last year, but decided that this year each would give some individual affair.

Miss Clara Metzger of Wilmington spent the week end the guest of Miss Helen Dymond of Orient Hill.

J. Lester Spahr of Wilmington is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spahr of the Springfield pike.

A delightful little dancing party has been planned and invitations have just been issued for it, the affair to take place at Kilkare park, Tuesday, July 16. Excellent music has been secured and the party promises to be as delightful as the former dance given by the same committee. The affair will be chaperoned. The committee consists of J. Marsh Clifford, Robert Hall, Bert L. Whittington and Raymond Higgins.

Burning of grass on the lawn at the home of John Barnett on Spring Hill, was responsible for calling out the fire department at 11:40 o'clock, on Tuesday. The flames were extinguished without using the hose.

Friends in this city have received word from Principal M. R. Simpson, of Central High School, whose marriage to Miss Eva Oldaker, of Centerville, Ohio, was an event of a few weeks ago, that he and his bride are now in Dubois, Pa. Mr. Simpson is acting as advance advertising agent for the Coit-Alber Chautauqua Company this summer and says he is enjoying the work. From Dubois he will go to Canada. Mr. Simpson has been re-engaged as principal of Central High School for next year and will return with his bride to this city in the fall.

Friends and relatives in this city have received word of the safe arrival in France of Guy Toms, popular Xenian who is with the 83rd division. He is connected with Co. H, of the 331st Infantry.

Miss Julia Wolf is entertaining at a "slumber party" at her home on North King street, on Tuesday evening.

Miss Nellie Eyer has returned from Lima after spending several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Sutton and Miss Hoadie Camp. Miss Leona Heaton, who accompanied her, will remain for the summer.

NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

Regular meeting of Ivanhoe Lodge No. 56, K. of P. Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Important business. A. J. Taylor, C. C.

The McClellan Y. P. B. will meet July the 12th at the home of Daisy Lackey. Please bring sandwiches and pickles. The Gladly "Wide Awake" Sunday school class will hold their meeting together with the Y. P. B. All members please be present.

A. C. Turrell, W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Collins, 454 North Detroit street, Thursday at 2:30.

Next Sunday afternoon at the New Hope Friends Church near Pain, there will be an old time service. Old time songs will be sung, the old time gospel will be preached and we are expecting an old time blessing from God. Everybody is invited to come with us at 3 p. m. Sunday, July 14. Bertha Day, minister.

What They Left Behind.
We know of a lot of men who didn't leave much behind them in the way of actual cash accumulated but they did leave families rich in the memories of the happiness they had while they were alive.

INDIANA HOLDS
PRICE FIXING IS
CONTRARY TO LAW

In view of the present discussion in Greene county between the farmers and the threshermen relative to the price of threshing wheat, and other grains the following article from the Indianapolis News will be of interest:

Michael E. Foley, chairman of the state council of defense, Friday made public an opinion from Ele Stansbury, attorney-general, in which the attorney-general said: "In my opinion it would be a violation of the act of congress, approved August 10, 1917, for the thresherman of any county or community in Indiana to meet and fix a rate for threshing that is unreasonably high, excessive and extortionate."

Mr. Foley, acting with Governor Goodrich, has asked the attorney-general for the opinion, following a particular fragment case of price raising, reported to the authorities from that county had met secretly, Mr. Foley said, and fixed prices at 6 cents a bushel for threshing oats, 10 cents for wheat and 12 cents for rye. They had parceled out of the farmers of the county and assigned each to a particular thresherman. In effect, they had said to the farmers that if they did not desire to use the thresherman indicated and pay the prices asked no threshing would be done.

After conferences between the Governor, Mr. Foley, members of the Bedford Chamber of Commerce and others the attorney-general was asked for the opinion. When the opinion was shown to the threshermen they revised their prices to charge 5 cents a bushel for oats, 8 cents for wheat and 9-1-2 cents for rye. These prices are not unreasonable, Mr. Foley said, because of the rough character of the Lawrence county country.

Mr. Foley, following his announcement, said practically every county in the state now has reasonable prices for threshing grain, with the exception of Decatur county, where prices of 6 cents for oats, 9 cents for wheat, 7 cents for barley and 10 cents for rye are being asked. These prices are unreasonable, the state official said, and every effort will be used by the state council of defense to compel their reduction.

Attorney General's opinion quoted the provisions of the federal statute on the subject of combinations to fix prices as follows:

"That it is hereby made unlawful for any person, * * * to engage in any discriminatory and unfair, or any deceptive or wasteful practice or device, or to make any unjust or unreasonable rate or charge in handling or dealing with any necessities; to conspire, combine, agree or arrange with any other person, (a) to limit the facilities for transporting, producing, harvesting, manufacturing, supplying, storing or dealing in any necessities; (b) to restrict the supply of and necessities; (c) to prevent, limit or lessen the manufacture or production of any necessities in order to enhance the price thereof; or (d) to aid or abet the doing of any act made unlawful by this section.

Annie
Laurie's
Letters

DEAR ANNIE LAURIE:
I am a girl 16 years old. I have a boy friend who lives out of town. I like this boy very much and so do my parents. He seems to like me very much, because he takes me for rides and goes with me everywhere. Now please, dear Annie Laurie, tell me how I can find out if this boy likes me.
SWEET LILY.

SWEET LILY:
Gracious me, child, you're too young to have a beau. The fact that the boy spends much of his time with you should convince you that he must like you pretty well, and as that is positively all that you can hope for now, can't you content yourself?

ANNIE LAURIE.

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MRS. MARSHALL TO
ACCOMPANY THE
VICE PRESIDENT

Mrs. Thomas R. Marshall, wife of Vice President Marshall, will accompany her husband and be guest of the Miami Valley Chautauqua and the women of southern Ohio Saturday, August 3, National Day, when the Vice-President, representing President Wilson, speaks at 2:30.

Mrs. Marshall is a very popular hostess in Washington, he at homes in the vice-president's suit at the Willard, being among the smartest functions in the former gay winter life at the capital and this will be remembered by all Ohio women fortunate enough to have received invitations and no doubt appropriate recognition of her visit to Ohio, will be arranged and an informal reception tendered.

Every thing seems to be coming to the Miami Valley Chautauqua this season and the prospects loom up brighter and brighter as the time approaches the opening July 26. Mr. Shewers, the Gen. Sec. and staff are now quartered on the grounds, the post office open. A great number of cottagers are settled and more arriving daily. The Military Institute, with full band arrive July 5.

MOTORAIDS

The tendency of so many motorists to attribute all extravagant fuel consumption to carburetor defects is very marked, but a point which cannot be emphasized too much, is that gasoline consumption is not affected by carburetor adjustment alone. Almost every part of the car connected with the production of power and its transmission to the road wheels, is an item affecting the final result. Besides the car, too, there is the personal element, for while one man may drive a car thirty miles to one gallon of fuel, another man may fail to drive the same car a greater distance than twenty-five miles on the same amount of fuel.

The higher consumption in the latter case may be due to driving at a higher speed and forcing the car to its utmost on every possible occasion. It may be caused by rapid acceleration after every slack or by driving on the brakes, that is, driving up to corners at high a speed as possible until the last moment and then applying the brakes violently. It may be due to racing the engine unduly on low gear on hills or driving with the ignition unnecessarily retarded or keeping the engine running when the car is stopped for more or less lengthy periods.

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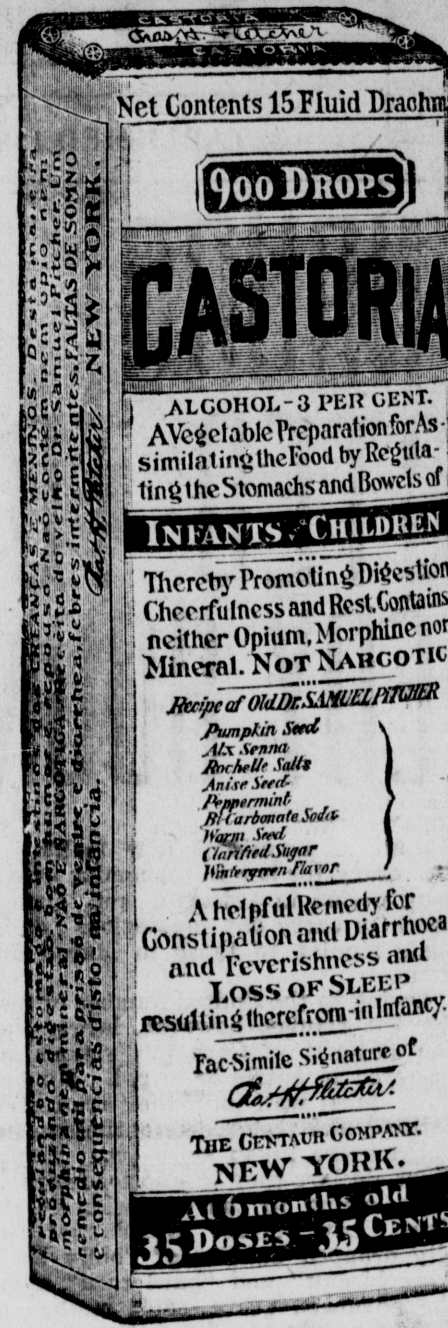
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Stewing Figs, lb 16c	Nut Margarine 33c
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Seeded Raisins 11c	Greene Co., Creamery Butter
Sunburst Corn 14c	at 45c
Peas 14c	Fancy Prunes, large can ..29c
Walrus Salmon 28c	Fancy Peas, large can 33c
Pink Salmon 22c	Large can of Peaches 16c
Small Can Salmon 14c	Large can Apricots 20c
Shrimp 17c	Pineapple, can 24c
Tuna Fish 23c	Lippencott's Preserves, Jar ..25c
Lippencott's Jelly Glass ..14c	Fancy cakes, lb 25c
Dried Beef, large glass17c	Imperial Tea 1-4 lb 14c
Prepared Mustard, Jar9c	Old Reliable Coffee 20c
Stuffed Olives, qt. for40c	Golden Sun Coffee 30c
Shredded Wheat, 2 boxes ..25c	Pinto Beans, lb 14c
Kellogg's Corn Flakes 2 boxes for25c	Breakfast Bacon, lb 41c
Cream of Wheat 24c	Ham Sliced, lb 43c
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THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

By JANE PHELPS.

AN UNQUALIFIED SUCCESS CHAPTER CXXXIII

George was very busy, the next two days. I spent my time shopping and entertaining myself as best I could. Mrs. Babcock lunched with me and we went to a matinee. I liked her better each time I saw her, and enjoyed being with her, even though she was so much older.

The night before we left for home, we dined with them again. As we were dressing, George said to me:

"I haven't secured Babcock's signature yet, although I think he is sure to come into the business. But tonight will settle it. They are already inclined to like you, so try and be of further help to me by your actions to-night."

I made no reply. I felt pleased that I could be of help to George, but I resented the implication that I might do something to spoil the good impression I had made. I would let him see that I was clever enough, at least, to hold what I had obtained.

We had a wonderful time, and another delightful dinner. Mrs. Babcock asked for more music, and we really spent a delightful evening although to my surprise, business was not mentioned. But just as George spoke of going, giving my previous illness as an excuse—he was really tired, himself—Mr. Babcock said:

"Come into the library, a moment, Howard. The ladies will excuse us. I may as well sign that paper to-night. Perhaps if I wait until tomorrow, I may change my mind; but your wife's music has made me mellow."

I couldn't help a glad thrill as I turned to Mrs. Babcock, who was smiling at me.

When we left, it was with a feeling that I had made two dear friends. And I was very happy when George remarked:

"You were an unqualified success to-night, Helen. I guess I owe it to you that I got that affair settled."

Helen Sees Julia Collins

Embarrassed

We stopped in the grill, when we reached the hotel. George claimed to be thirsty. The orchestra was still playing, so I offered no objection.

"We've only a few minutes before they close," George said impatiently, beckoning a waiter.

Just then I heard some loud talking, and turned to see the cause. At a table near us, sat Julia Collins and a large, rather coarse-looking man who evidently had been drinking. He was trying to make Mrs. Collins take a glass of champagne, which she had evidently been refusing. No one was paying particular attention, because of the nearness of closing time and their desire to have their orders filled. But I was interested. It was something new to see Julia Collins embarrassed as she evidently was. I could not help a little thrill of joy as I looked at her escort—red, flushed, noisy, and persistent—then at George, who was cool, self-possessed, and handsome.

George heard an exclamation, turned, and saw Mrs. Collins and her escort. He looked surprised, then remarked in a low tone:

"What in the world is she doing with that bounder?"

"The man's excited manner and loud speech was now attracting attention from others in the room. There was a general lull, as everyone turned to gaze. The music had suddenly stopped, making the man more noisily obnoxious because more plainly heard. He had called the head waiter and was arguing with him over something. With a shrug that plainly said he could not propitiate an unreasonable patron, he walked off."

George Makes Himself Conspicuous And Annoys Helen

The crowd was once again busy with its own affairs. But I could not take my eyes away from Julia Collins. Her embarrassment, and the insistence of her escort, whom George

had called a "bounder," fascinated me.

Suddenly I saw Mrs. Collins rise—that is, she tried to, but her escort roughly pulled at her gown and she sank back into her chair, her face crimson. Then, in loud tones, he again tried to get her to drink the champagne.

I had been so engaged watching them—my chair was in such a position I could, without turning—that I had no looked at George for a moment or two. The waiter had brought him his bottle of Celestine vichy, his usual drink, and he had paid him.

A chair scraped and George started to rise. I, thinking he had finished, rose also.

"Sit down, Helen. I'll be back in a minute," he said, then walked directly to the table where Julia Collins sat fairly writhing in her embarrassment. I was furious, that he should make himself and me conspicuous by his act, and more so when he quietly offered his arm and escorted Julia Collins from the room before her escort recovered from his amazement enough to object. Then, while the head waiter ejected the man who was threatening to fight everyone in the room, but especially George, my husband returned and quietly took his place beside me and finished his vichy.

TO-MORROW—HOME AGAIN

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WORK ALLOTTED TO EACH CHAPTER OF RED CROSS

Many persons do not know that the Lake division of the Red Cross is made up of all the Red Cross chapters in Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky, and when you consider how many units and branches report to our own Greene County Chapter, here at Xenia, some idea can be formed of the hundreds and hundreds reporting to the Lake Division.

The Red Cross organization carrying on its work on absolutely business principles is taking care of a business larger than that of the Standard Oil which we have been taught from childhood to regard as the colossus of them all.

Now the Red Cross work, having assumed these gigantic proportions, necessitated a change in the planning of the work and the output must be governed largely by the limited shipping space at the disposal of our government, so only the most useful, practical and required number of things can be sent. It is astonishing to note the difference in the figures of what was actually needed and what received at the Lake division. For instance, take the matter of "triangular bandages," 11,585 were needed,

and in response to the call 58,188 were received. A call for 2,239 "many tailed bandages" brought in 50,509. But on the other hand, "absorbent pads 12 by 24, oakum filled," when 2,239 were needed, brought only 517, and where 116,802 "absorbent pads 12 by 24, cotton filled" were needed, only 5,283 came in—and so on down the list.

For these reasons every Red Cross Chapter in the United States is given a quota and the chapters no longer have any choice in the matter, and must do the work allotted.

The Greene County chapter's quota is mostly refugee garments and they must complete the work by September first, when a new quota will be given them. The quota is as follows:

Two hundred pinafores; 100 serge dresses; 100 chemise, 100 petticoats, 300 bed socks, 200 hospital shirts.

The knitted quota is 1,000 sweaters and 1,000 pairs of socks, but the yarn shipment has not come in yet. The quota for the gauze workers has not yet been received and the gauze room will not be open until it is, but they are urged to give their services in the sewing room, where they are greatly needed. Persons unable to do the work at the Red Cross rooms can take it home. All work must be carefully done in order to pass inspection.

Transportation in Hankow.

Within foreign concessions of Hankow there are 2,357 licensed jitneys, 67 public carriages and 83 private motor cars.

ARRANGE FOR THIRD ANNUAL CAMP MEETING

The third annual camp meeting of the Tri-County Holiness Association will be held on the Chataqua grounds at New Carlisle, Ohio, starting July 18 and ending July 28.

The staff of workers who will conduct the meeting consists of Lucius B. Compton, Ashville, N. C., and P. F. Elliott, Lansing, Michigan, special evangelists; C. L. Cosand, Damascus, Ohio, song evangelist; Robert E. McNeill, Cincinnati, Ohio, pianist and assistant chorus leader, and also Brother John Butler, of Dublin, Ind. The Association invites all to attend these meetings during the ten days. Paul Marshall, secretary of the association.

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TWO—BIG FEATURES—TWO.

Are the Packers Profiteers?

Plain Facts About the Meat Business

The Federal Trade Commission in its recent report on war profits, stated that the five large meat packers have been profiteering and that they have a monopoly of the market.

These conclusions, if fair and just, are matters of serious concern not only to those engaged in the meat packing business but to every other citizen of our country.

The figures given on profits are misleading and the statement that the packers have a monopoly is unsupported by the facts.

The packers mentioned in the report stand ready to prove their profits reasonable and necessary.

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The meat business is one of the largest American industries. Any citizen who would familiarize himself with its details must be prepared for large totals.

The report states that the aggregate profits of four large packers were \$140,000,000 for the three war years.

This sum is compared with \$19,000,000 as the average annual profit for the three years before the war, making it appear that the war profit was \$121,000,000 greater than the pre-war profit.

This compares a three-year profit with a one-year profit—a manifestly unfair method of comparison. It is not only misleading, but the Federal Trade Commission apparently has made a mistake in the figures themselves.

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The aggregate three-year profit of \$140,000,000 was earned on sales of over four and a half billion dollars. It means about 3 cents on each dollar of sales—or a mere fraction of a cent per pound of product.

Packers' profits are a negligible factor in prices of live stock and meats. No other large business is conducted upon such small margins of profit.

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Furthermore—and this is very important—only a small portion of this profit has been paid in dividends. The balance has been put back into the business. It had to be, as you realize when you consider the problems the packers have had to solve—and solve quickly—during these war years.

To conduct this business in war times, with higher costs and the necessity of paying two or three times the ordinary amount of working capital

The additional profit makes only a fair return on this, and as has been stated, the larger portion of the profits earned has been used to finance huge stocks of goods and to provide additions and improvements made necessary by the enormous demands of our army and navy and the Allies.

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If you are a business man you will appreciate the significance of these facts. If you are unacquainted with business, talk this matter over with some business acquaintance—with your banker, say—and ask him to compare profits of the packing industry with those of any other large industry at the present time.

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No evidence is offered by the Federal Trade Commission in support of the statement that the large packers have a monopoly. The Commission's own report shows the large number and importance of other packers.

The packers mentioned in the statement stand ready to prove to any fair minded person that they are in keen competition with each other, and that they have no power to manipulate prices.

If this were not true they would not dare to make this positive statement.

Furthermore, government figures show that the five large packers mentioned in the report account for only about one-third of the meat business of the country.

They wish it were possible to interest you in the details of their business. Of how, for instance, they can sell dressed beef for less than the cost of the live animal, owing to utilization of by products, and of the wonderful story of the methods of distribution throughout this broad land, as well as in other countries.

The five packers mentioned feel justified in co-operating with each other to the extent of together presenting this public statement.

They have been able to do a big job for your government in its time of need; they have met all war time needs promptly and completely and they are willing to trust their case to the fairmindedness of the American people with the facts before them.

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THE PROFITEERING HOGS.

The Treasury Department finds, by the returns of the income officials, that war profiteering was more sensational than that disclosed by the Federal Trade Commission.

The profits of Morris & Co., meat packers, for the fiscal year ending November, 1917, is equal to the net worth of the company, (capital and surplus) and 263 per cent on the three million dollars capital stock outstanding. In the case of the four other meat packers the earned rate of profits is from 27 to 47 per cent.

It was found that one steel mill had made 319.67 per cent profit, while many others averaged over 100 per cent. The United States Steel Corporation's profits rose from 2.8 per cent in 1914 to 24.9 in 1917. The net income of the corporation for 1917, after deducting federal income and excess profits taxes, was \$244,738,906. The New Jersey Zinc Company, basing percentage on the capital stock issue of 35 million dollars, made 56 per cent. profit, in 1917, and paid a dividend of 46 per cent.

Margins of the coal industry in many cases were two or three times normal. Twenty-three bituminous mines in Central Pennsylvania averaged a margin of ninety cents a ton in 1917, as compared with twenty cents in 1916. The highest margin of these companies was \$1.85, as compared with forty-one cents in 1916.

The flour millers' average earnings are said to be 38 per cent. on the investment. The average net profits of jobbers for 1913 and 1914 is said to have been about fifteen cents a barrel, but increased to fifty cents in 1917.

We have one bit of satisfaction Mr. Hoover says the profiteering millers are now compelled to deliver from six to seven million dollars worth of flour to the government at \$1 per barrel to wipe out their illegal profits. Good.

HOPE UNDISMAYED.

With good reason Hope was the quality that lived at the bottom of the box of Pandora, when everything else that was good and beautiful was lost by a careless lifting of the lid. Definitions of optimism, are many in number, but the cheerful, courageous persistence that is in the blood of men and women is ineradicable. It survives and gives battle as long as breath is in their frames. It is blithe when disaster looms, and it reminds one of the astonished saying of a housekeeper in France to a group of American college girls engaged in reconstruction. "Why it seems to me you laugh hardest when things are blackest!"

Especially does this happy faculty of putting the best face on everything appear to be a part of the American disposition. Our native human nature so dearly loves a joke that it is prone to find the mirth-provoking even in a somber situation. Europe, in its stressful days, has blessed us for an importation not alone of foodstuffs and of garments, but of the medication of cheer. Where a smile is carried there goes a remedy unbottled. Bring to a sickbed a face of confidence and the patient catches a perceptible lift toward recovery. Hope induces hope. "If I look as though I could cure you, the result, ipso facto, is in part attained."

On the broad shoulders of those who hope indomitably the work of the world is surely carried forward. Ever there are misanthropes who grouch and mumble about a "fool's paradise" when anybody says a cheerful thing. But surely those whose laughter refreshes like the music of the brook, are on the side of the angels. If they are simpletons, then is their state to be envied. If one is happy, what does it matter who calls names or what the names are? The sourness of sour grapes is in one's own bilious disposition.

Worthy is Hope to be linked with Faith and Charity. He who dwells in this house of wisdom has these for the chief foundation stones of the edifice.

To See is to Believe.

"If I come in your yard will your dog bite me?" asked Henry Willie. "I'm not certain, mister," replied the woman of the house, "but the man who sold him to us says that he'll chase a tramp 10 miles without stopping. But I'm not going to believe it till I see it done."—People's Home Journal.

Wilberforce

CHARLES S. SMITH
Correspondent

Miss Hallie Q. Brown is attending the National Association of Colored Women's Clubs in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. W. S. Scarborough is spending her summer vacation with relatives in New York.

Miss Julia Gee left Saturday for Pittsburgh, Pa., where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. S. D. Hughes who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nina Jones, for several weeks, has returned to her home in Kokomo, Ind.

Miss Bernice Saunders of the Academic Department, is attending summer school at the Ohio State University.

Mrs. Susan Wood, after a visit of two weeks with Mrs. Anna Weaver, has returned to her home in Knights-town, Ind.

Mrs. Emma Anderson has gone to Brooklyn, N. Y. to visit with her son, Mr. James Anderson and family.

Mr. William Ross and family have moved to Xenia.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Maxwell have been spending several weeks at their residence on Columbus pike, and have returned to Rendville, Ohio, where Rev. Maxwell is pastor of a church.

Mr. James Griggs, of Camp Grant, Ill., spent the Fourth with his parents. He expects to be sent over the waters at any time.

Mrs. Mary E. Black, of Louisville, Ky., is visiting Mrs. Thomas Pedkins.

Mr. George Bowles spent the Fourth in Cincinnati, and attended the automobile races.

Rev. R. S. Brown, of Memphis, Tenn., after spending several weeks attending the Y. M. C. A. training camp, conducted by Mr. Jesse E. Moorland, and other noted workers of the National War Work Council, at Harpers Ferry, Va., spent a few hours with Mr. Charles Smith on his way South.

Misses Lucinda Cook and Anna H. Williamson, of the Normal Department, are taking summer work at the University of Chicago.

Mrs. Dames D. W. Woodward, A. J. White and Henry Talbert attended the Ohio Federation of Colored Women's Clubs in Steubenville, Ohio, last week. The meeting was largely attended by the leading women of the state and funds were raised to employ and station at Camp Sherman a lady to do social work. The next meeting will be held in Zanesville, Ohio.

Miss Lulu Graham, Commercial 1915, of Miamisburg, is acting secretary to Pres. W. S. Scarborough, during the illness of his regular secretary, Miss Helen G. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson received a card from their son, Mr. Edward L. Anderson, who is a second lieutenant of Co. B, 317, Ammunition Train, saying "The ship on which I sailed has arrived safely over seas." Mrs. Anderson also received a letter from her brother-in-law Captain Charles W. Fillmore of the 15th New York infantry, who has been engaged in several battles with the Huns and writes of the wonderful fighting zeal of his men in the trenches.

The Summer School, under the direction of Dean Gilbert Jones, assisted by Mr. T. Bolden Steward and Miss Clevia Lewis, of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. Mahatha Steward, of the New Orleans University, and Mr. E. E. Reed, of Bowling Green, Ky., is meeting with success, notwithstanding the conditions of the country. It has an attendance of about fifty-three students. On Wednesday evening Mr. Pearson, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, will deliver the first lecture in the Auditorium of Gal loway Hall. Arrangements have been made for lectures by Superintendent John R. Patterson, of the Xenia City Schools, Prof. McCracken, Dean J. V. Denny and Prof. O'Neal, all of the Ohio State University.

Mr. J. D. Newsom, Chief Engineer of the C. N. and I. plant, surprised his many friends last week by bringing to his palatial residence a new wife in the person of Miss Eunice Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Taylor. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's parents. Miss Taylor is a graduate of the Normal course, has taught several years in the South and has a host of friends who wish her an abundance of happiness.

Chaplain Oscar J. W. Price, of the 10th Cavalry, U. S. A., visited his numerous friends in the community during the week of commencement. He presented the school with a copy of a More Bible, A Koran, captured from Kalli Panda-Patan and is considered to be a very old book. Kalli Panda-Patan was a powerful More Chieftain, the Dato of Bulduin, a member of the Magindanao Tribe of Mindanao, P. I. The Bible was valued very highly by those people. A Panda-Patan of the Mohammedan belief reads the Koran to his people and prays three times during the day and three times during the night. The More Kalli corresponds to the Presiding Elder of the A. M. E. church. The Bible was taken from him by Lieut. Furlong, of the More Constabulary and "K" Co. 25th Inf., and was presented to Chaplain Scott, August 21, 1908. The book is in charge of the librarian, Mr. L. E. Palmer, and is kept in a large hall safe for safety.

Mr. Charles Hall, associated with Mr. George Haynes, assistant to the Labor Bureau of the U. S., Washington, D. C., was the guest of Pres. W. S. Scarborough and Supt. Wm. A. Joiner, Monday morning. Mr. Hall called to hold a consultation with the two officials of the school preparatory to investigating and adjusting any troubles that might exist between the white and colored laborers in the state of Ohio. A meeting is scheduled to be held in Columbus in the near future and the leading colored men of the state will attend. Bishops B. F. Lee and John Hurst have been secured as speakers and Pres. Scarborough and Supt. Joiner have promised to give their assistance in promoting the work in this part of the state.

SUIT FOR \$25,000 DAMAGES FILED IN XENIA COURT

Mrs. Myrtle Stutsman Gentner has brought suit for \$25,000 damages against the Dayton Metal Products company, for the death of her young husband, John W. Gentner, who died April 9, as the result of injuries sustained when the motorcycle he was riding was struck by an automobile said to belong to the defendant company, near Lower Alpha, April 15.

In the petition, which was filed for Mrs. Gentner by Attorneys Marcus Shoup and Harry D. Smith, it is alleged that the fatal accident was due solely to the negligence of the defendant company and its employee, the driver of the car. It is alleged that the car was being operated at a speed in violation of the law, and that the employee of the company, driving the car was incompetent owing to the fact that he is totally blind in the left eye, and that he failed to keep the car under control and operate it at a proper rate of speed. It is further alleged that the driver of the car was well aware of the presence of the dwelling which obstructed his view at the road intersection, and that he failed to give any warning of his approach or slacken the speed of the car.

The petition also avers that the high powered car was not equipped with sufficient or efficient brakes but was equipped with unsafe brakes.

The defendant was 23 years old when the accident occurred, in good health, and with good earning capacity, the petition recites. He was married March 7. The driver of the automobile which caused the tragedy, Clarence Black was indicted for manslaughter by the grand jury two weeks ago.

SPLENDID SAMPLE OF BROTHERLY FEELING OF ENGLAND FOR U. S.

One of the finest examples of the spirit of brotherhood that dominates between the allied nations at this time is expressed in the letter given below, which was received by the Rooven & Allison Company in this city from the firm of Hindley & Company, in London, England.

The London firm gives utterance to the feeling that fills the hearts of every true Englishman at this time—a friendly feeling of appreciation of the help of America in the present conflict and a spirit of friendship that has never been excelled in international alliances. The letter was answered favorably by the local company and hearty thanks for the kind offer of our English friends was expressed by President J. D. Steele.

The letter follows:
"Messrs. Rooven & Allison Co., Xenia, Ohio:

"Dear Sirs:—
"We are writing to you to say that if any of your friends happen to be over in England on National Service and require any assistance, which it may be in our power to render, it will afford us much pleasure to be of help to them.

"We have such appreciation of the spirit and enthusiasm of the American soldier, that it will be a privilege to aid them in any way and any reference to us from your good offices, will insure them the heartiest sympathy and good will.

"Yours faithfully,
"Hindley & Co."

LARGE CLASS OF ELKS INITIATED

The Elks Home on East Second street was the scene of a delightful event Monday evening, the occasion being the initiation of twenty-five new members of the order.

Following the ritualistic work, which was performed by a team from the Lebanon lodge, a delicious banquet was served in the banquet hall.

A program of interesting talks by members of the Lebanon delegation and members of the local lodge followed the banquet.

More than a hundred men were present at the event which was one of the most enjoyable that has occurred at the Xenia lodge in a long time.

DAYTON MARKETS

GRAIN
Wheat—\$2.19 per bushel.
Oats—70c per bushel.
Rye—\$1.40 per bushel.

HOGS.
Receipts 4 cars, market 10 to 15 cents higher.
Choice heavies \$16.75@16.85
Select butchers and packers \$16.75@16.85
Heavy Yorkers \$16.75@16.85
Light Yorkers \$16.50@16.75
Pigs 16.00@16.50
Choice fat sows \$15.00@15.50
Common to fair sows \$14.50@15.00
Stags \$11.50@12.50

CATTLE
Receipts light, market steady.
Receipts light, market steady.
Fair to good shippers \$13.00@15.00
Good to choice butchers \$12.00@14.00
Fair to medium butchers \$10.00@12.00
Choice fat cows \$10.00@12.00
Good to choice heifers \$9.00@10.00
Fair heifers \$8.00@9.00
Bologna cows \$5.00@7.00
Bologna bulls \$10.00@11.00
Calves \$10.00@15.00

SHEEP AND LAMBS
Market steady.
Sheep \$7.00@9.00
Lambs \$14.00@16.00

LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIERS

Letters for this column from Greene county's soldiers are solicited. No matter whether the letter is from a soldier in the training camp or from the battle trenches it is of interest, not only to his close friends but to the general public. Therefore if you receive a letter from a soldier and it contains interesting news pass it along to the newspaper and we will publish it so all his friends may enjoy it. Soldiers are also invited to write directly to the newspaper.

Private Cecil Strobbridge with the 166th Infantry in France has written the following letter and enclosed poetry to his mother, Mrs. Strobbridge of West Second street:

"Dear Mother: Was very glad to hear from you again. This leaves me all o. k., and I hope you are all the same. I haven't met with Glen yet, but I hope to some time soon. I wish I could tell you all about what is happening over here but I can't. I will say that I think we will all be home soon. Of course we will have to whip the Germans to a paste before we will go home, but I think that will soon be done.

"In my last letter I sent you a 'franc.' It is 20 cents in American money. It's fun to see our boys throw liquid fire at German airplanes but not so funny vice versa. Well, it's all in a day's work for a soldier. The following is a composition original—

"The mosquitoes buzz around you, While you sit there late at night, Everything is very quiet 'cept The rats that squeal and fight

"Over a piece of moulding hardtack. Cast outside the dug out door By some mad, disgusted Sammy. As he murmured 'never more'

"I sat there before a switch board, In a candle's flickering light, Not a shot fired in four hours, But we've plenty 'crumbs' to fight

"Home and freedom left behind me, Perhaps ne'er to see again, (But a louse bite here reminds me) That I'd better read again."

"Talks of great men all remind us, We can bring the Dutch to time, And departing leave behind us, Dead Huns, all along 'der Rhine."

"We go o'er the top in earnest, With Berlin our only goal, Dust thou art, to dust returneth, (Watch the Kaiser hunt a hole.)

"We have been in the trenches a couple of times and it isn't as bad as we heard before going in. Of course we have to keep below level of the trench when on the firing line, or a boche sniper will pick you off.

"The trenches are deep enough to walk upright in early, without being exposed and there are plenty of dug-outs handy to be used when under shell fire. To my idea the shell fire is the most fearsome of anything in the war.

"The gas gets more than the big shells but if a fellow is on the watch he can beat the gas to it. The big shells, the high explosives, just come sailing over with a whistle and smash everything within reach.

"If our men on the big guns had been in the war as long as the French or Germans, a boche wouldn't dare stick on his head above the level of a trench for five miles around.

"At night 'no man's land' is sometimes as bright as old Broadway. The flare rockets make it so. We see plenty of the country on foot. There are sure some pretty little villages in the hills of France, most of which have been partly destroyed by artillery fire. Along the front I saw the usual stretches of barbed wire, with some times a few dead Huns hanging in it. Bob Andrews was slightly wounded, nothing serious. A big shell kicked a little sand in his face and he shot himself in the leg with an automatic pistol. He was made a corporal about two months ago. I am not with him anymore, but I see him quite often. He is in I Co. I am in Headquarters Co., 166th. I have taken part in a raid on the Huns. Believe me, our boys can throw a few big shells when they're in a hurry.

"On the front a fellow is under considerable strain all the time. Our first time in the trenches we put in about 80 days. I am doing signal work, wireless, telephone and such. Then we go back for a rest. But don't get the wrong idea about this resting. When we are resting we drill some, get new clothes and parts of equipment which has been worn out or lost.

"We have a good bunch of hospital fellows and doctors. There is one

other thing that's kind of hard on the nerves, that the machine guns. When in action they sound like about a thousand people popping corn at once and the bullets sound like about 'steen' swarms of bees swarming and fog raises around the guns that would make a fog in London look like a bright day in June. Outside of this I like France.

"The rats over here would make an elephant turn green with envy and the lice, alias crabs, dwell in peaceful contentment notwithstanding the war and all have large and hungry families.

"Well I guess this will be all for a few days. I will write again soon." His address is "Pvt. Cecil Strobbridge, Headquarters Co., 166th. Inf. A. E. F. France."

Everyday Etiquette

"Will you please tell me how to reply to an invitation to a wedding and reception?" asked Harry.

"A written reply is not necessary, as your presence is an acceptance. If you cannot attend you should send your cards to the parents of the bride," said his father.

JUST TRIBUTE

The last issue of the United Presbyterian contains a loving tribute to the memory of the late Rev. H. Parks Jackson, by Rev. J. S. E. McMichael, pastor of the Cedarville U. P. church. It occupies half a page in the paper and is a very full and complete tribute to the deceased clergyman. The following is the first paragraph:

On a beautiful day in May we laid away in Massie's Creek Cemetery all that was mortal of Rev. Hugh Parks Jackson. Out of respect to his godly life, a large crowd had gathered in the United Presbyterian church at Cedarville, and from thence had followed his body to the place where it shall await the resurrection morrow. It was altogether fitting that this service should be held in the United Presbyterian church at Cedarville, for it was there more than 80 years ago that David and Nancy Jackson dedicated their son to God in baptism. There some 65 years ago he had made a public profession of his faith in the Lord Jesus Christ, from thence something over 50 years ago he went forth to take his place in the ranks of the Christian ministry, and there for four years has he worshiped his God regularly, as, after half a century of active service, he had returned to the home of his boyhood to wait for the setting of the sun.

Notice!

Store will be
CLOSED
Wednesday
Afternoons
During July
and August

J. Thorb
Charters
Jeweler

LADIES' STRAP SLIPPERS and OXFORDS!

Vici Kid and Dull Leather specially priced at \$2.49

Coming in following style—Vici Kid Oxford, Low Heel and Patent Tip—

Gun Metal Leather—one Strap, Low Heel. These Slippers are of extraordinary good value.

SS AND S SHOE STORE
STILES and SCHNEIDER

"A Little More For Your Money."



Women's White Rein-skin Lace Boots, with High or Low Heels, at \$5.00 and \$5.50

White Kid Lace Boots with White Reinskin Tops \$7.50

Best looking, best wearing boots for summer

Our store closes at 12 o'clock on Wednesdays in July and August.

Frazer's Shoe Store

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS

Do you know that coal oil has about 2,200 heat units to the gallon? Gasoline about 1,500. Your power is obtained by the explosion of these heat units.

STROMBERG

Gasoline now being of a very much inferior grade, a Carburetor Built to break and explode these heavy heat units, will necessarily increase your mileage 25 to 100% over other make Carburetors, with a 30% decrease in Carbon. A quart test at our expense will convince you of the superior quality of the Stromberg. Satisfaction GUARANTEED or purchase price refunded

Central Taxi and Service Garage
FRED MCCLAIN, Agt.

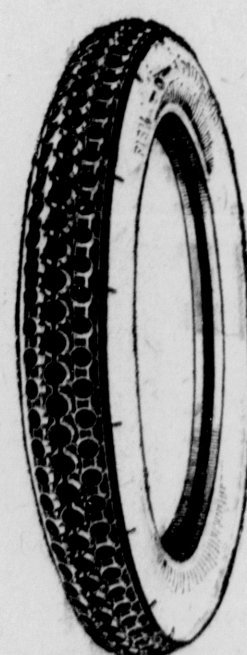
AUTOMOBILES AT AUCTION!

PAVEY'S GARAGE, 2259 N. HIGH ST.
COLUMBUS, OHIO,

Wednesday, July 17
1 p. m. sharp

I have listed for sale on that date 25 used cars, all overhauled, painted and in good serviceable condition, consisting of Fords, Overlands, Grant, Buicks, Interstate, Chevrolets, Michigan, Studebaker, Hudson, and other standard makes. All to be sold to highest bidder without reserve. A change to own a good car at a price you can afford to pay. Come early make your choice and get demonstration before the sale.

C. W. PAVEY, AUCTIONEER.



FISK NON-SKID TIRES
A real investment on which you realize full value in mileage and Fisk Service, with an initial price that is attractive.

The Greene County
Hardware Co.

East Main Street, Xenia Both Phones 47

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One cent per word each insertion.
20% discount if ad is run one week. Minimum 25c.
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12 words.....	\$.35	\$.55
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Studebaker 5 passenger automobile. New top, newly painted, good condition. Price, \$100. One 1910 5 passenger car, used less than 10,000 miles. New top. Just repainted, electric lights, starter, and fully equipped. Good as new. A bargain. One 5 passenger Buick, run less than 6,000 miles. Can hardly be told from new 1918 model. Will sell. Worth the money. One 1910 2 passenger, just painted, \$150. One 1912 2 passenger, just painted, \$125. Call quick. Sutton Auto Sales Agency.

6-221f

FOR SALE—Good cow, at once. Bell 989-R.

7-12

FOR SALE—Improved, level, fertile farms. \$20 per acre. Write for list. W. A. Eichelberger, Land Specialist, Portsmouth, O.

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FOR SALE—We sell the Fayette Live-stock self feeder for hogs and the feed to put in them. Bates & Smith, 134 West Main.

6-61f

FOR SALE—Bicycle and go-cart, good condition. Bell phone, Bellbrook, 9-12.

7-13

FOR SALE—\$88 ft. Brussels druggist's cheap. Call 277 Cincinnati avenue or Bell 95-R.

7-19

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Egnol Secondhand store Third street, two doors west of Detroit.

4-81f

FOR SALE—Piano cabinet, four vertical files for invoices, letters, orders, receipts, etc. With cupboard for supplies. Solid oak. Will sell at half price. Bell phone 926, Xenia, Ohio.

7-10

FOR SALE—Secondhand Overland. E. D. Keyes, Greene County Hardware Co.

7-10

FOR SALE—A self-measuring coal oil tank for grocery shop. If sold at once. 273 W. Bell. Mrs. Fred L. Moore, North Kings St.

5-11

WANTED—Property, in Xenia, or a small place near Xenia, on payments. A. Vandine, Jamestown, Ohio, R. P. No. 3.

7-18

FOR SALE—We sell the Fayette Live-stock self feeder for hogs and the feed to put in them. Bates & Smith, 134 West Main.

6-61f

WANTED

WANTED—Work by the day. 1014 E. Second St.

7-9

WANTED—Salesmen or Salesladies, at Englewood's.

7-10

WANTED—Girl's bicycle, must be in good condition. Call 118-R Bell.

7-10

WANTED—Everybody in Greene County to know that I am in the jewelry and optical business. No. 9 W. Main St. Xenia, O. WHIT.

7-11f

POULTRY WANTED—Get our prices. Highest market prices. Fletcher's Wholesale and Retail Poultry Dealers and Grocery. Bell 499, City, 30.

July 26

WANTED—Able bodied married man to deliver coal and ice. Must be sober and honest. References required. \$24.00 per week. Lake Coal & Ice Co. 299 Concord st., Dayton, O.

6-61f

REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS—Notes bought. John Harbino, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio.

TOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-11f

6-11f

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE—Loans, securities, 65 to 75 farms listed. 25 years' experience in business. Automobile service free. D. McConnell & Co., Gazette Building, second floor. Bell phone 1995.

July 29

JOHN W. PRUGH, "The Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years of successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones.

6-11f

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms, with bath and bath. Call 396, Bell phone.

7-19

FOR RENT—Four room cottage, 8, 12th St. Apply Misses Daily, E. 3rd St.

7-9

FOR RENT—Living room in Gazette bldg for man only. Call at Gazette office.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern, 127 East Market. Bell 148-W or 875-R.

7-9

Kills Pesky Bed Bugs P. D. Q.

A Two ounce box of P. D. Q. makes a full quart. It is the best bug-killer on earth. Better than a barrel of old fashioned bug-killer.

P. D. Q. (Peaky Devil's Quicker), kills like a 42-centimeter shell. It kills bedbugs, fleas, roaches, and all other insects, and not only kills the pests, but the eggs as well.

P. D. Q. won't injure clothes, carpets, curtains, draperies or wall paper. Try it on the dog and see the fleas flop.

Your druggist has it or can get it for you.

PROMINENT FARMER KILLED AND HIS WIFE IS SERIOUSLY INJURED WHEN THEIR AUTO GOES INTO DITCH

J. C. Cunningham, prominent Bellbrook resident was killed and Mrs. Cunningham was seriously injured, when the former lost control of his automobile which collided with two telephone poles and overturned in a ditch along the Springfield pike in Goes station, shortly before 6 o'clock Monday evening.

Injuries, which it is thought were caused by a fractured rib piercing a lung caused Mr. Cunningham's death at the Espey hospital in this city, where both victims were removed following the accident. Mrs. Cunningham has a severe contusion over the eyes and is bruised and shocked.

The cloud of dust which rose about the scene of the accident prevented onlookers getting a clear view of the end of the mad flight of the big touring car. Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham were returning along the pike from Yellow Springs, where they had been for the purpose of taking home the former's cousin, Mrs. William Stevenson who had spent the week with them. When they reached Goes Station, onlookers, say a big car approached them from the rear, and its driver gave the signal indicating that he wished to pass the forward car. Both cars were traveling at a high rate of speed. Mr. Cunningham continued ahead of the car following him for a time, when the big machine passed him just beyond the boarding house conducted by Mrs. Cora Floeck in the village.

Apparently Mr. Cunningham became confused by the cloud of dust left in the trail of the car which passed him, and lost control of his car which collided with a pole, at the west side of the road. Evidently the steering gear was broken by the impact for the car zigzagged across the road and finally struck the track of the Dayton, Springfield & Xenia Southern traction which runs parallel with the east side of the pike. After continuing down the track for several feet it left the ties leaped across the pike, to the west side and collided with another pole which was broken off by the collision, and then evidently turned a somersault in the ditch. With the top crushed, the car was standing upon its wheels when rescuers reached it. The dust was so dense that no one knew whether or not the car had turned completely over on its side after striking the last pole.

Mr. Cunningham was taken from beneath the car, but Mrs. Cunningham had been thrown free of the machine when the impact came.

A few moments after the accident the D. S. & X. S. traction car due in this city at 6 o'clock reached Goes station, and the injured couple was placed on board, and brought to Xenia. The two unfortunate victims were taken to the Espey hospital where Dr. Paul Espey and Dr. W. A. Galloway gave them medical attention and where Mr. Cunningham died at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Cunningham will recover.

XENIA MARKETS

XENIA GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Wheat, per bushel.....	\$1.25
Oats, per bushel.....	.50
Wheat, per bushel.....	\$2.05
Rye, per bushel.....	\$1.50
Baled Timothy Hay.....	\$20.00
Mixed Hay.....	\$19.00
Clover Hay.....	\$18.00
Clover Seed.....	\$16.00
Straw.....	\$9.00
Eggs, wholesale.....	.34c
Eggs, retail.....	.35c
Creamery butter (retail).....	.50c
Country butter, wholesale.....	.30c
Country butter, retail.....	.35c
Oleomargarine, retail.....	.35c

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Paulkner & John.

CATTLE

Good heifers.....	\$7.00 to 7.50
Shipping steers.....	\$9.00 to 10.00
Cows.....	\$5.00 to 6.50
Bologna cows.....	\$2.50 to 5.00
Veal calves.....	\$12.00
Lambs.....	\$12.00
Sheep.....	\$8.00

HOGS

Hog, 150 up.....	\$16.00
Sows.....	\$12.50
Stags.....	\$10.50

XENIA LIVE STOCK

Corrected daily by Mullen Bros. and Peterson.

CATTLE

Shipping steers.....	\$9.00 to 10.00
Butcher steers & heifers.....	\$7.00 to 8.00
Cows, fat.....	\$6.00 to 6.50
Bologna cows.....	\$4.00 to 5.00
Veal Calves.....	\$12.00
Spring Lambs.....	\$10.00 to 14.00
Sheep.....	\$6.00 to \$5.00

HOGS

Hogs, 150 up.....	\$16.00
Sows.....	\$12.65
Stags.....	\$11.00

MISCELLANEOUS

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay positively the highest prices. Prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co. Bell 171-R. Citizens 29.

8-21f

LOST—Black leather purse containing receipts, with name N. E. Cherry. Return to 5 and 10 cent store at desk and receive reward. 7-5

FOUND—Service pin. Owner can get it at this office.

LOST—Big red sow, weighs about 250 pounds. Will pay liberal reward. Call 584-W. R. C. Jenks.

PUBLIC SALE—At farm, 4 miles west of Urbana, 15 miles north of Springfield, Monday, July 15 at 10 a. m. 30 head of cattle, including 40 milk cows, 30 heifers, 10 young bulls. C. M. McLaughlin, Auctioneers, Cos. Perry, Stokely and Thomas. nc-7-11

C. C. TRENER bales straw from the thrasher. Bell phone 1995 R12. CR. 21-811.

FISHBACK'S New and Second-Hand Store, 625, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell clothes, shoes, furniture, carpets, etc. Citizens phone 6-234.

f-s-m-tr

THEATERS

Bijou.

"Pick the Picture," the slogan of the Paralta plays will be seen on the screen at the Bijou theater Wednesday night only, when J. Warren Kerrigan plays in "The Turn of the Card."

The picture is the fourth Paralta Play and a virile Western drama by Frederick Chapin. In the cast besides Kerrigan, there are Lois Wilson, Eugene Pallette, David M. Hartford, William Conklin and others.

Orphium.

Pretty Ruth Clifford will, as usual, delight hundreds at the Orphium Wednesday night only, when she appears in the Blue bird feature, "Midnight Madness."

The picture is another one of the Rupert Julian successes and shows Miss Clifford in some of her best work. There is an unusually new and clever plot mixed up in this story which features Kenneth Harlan, Harry Van Meter, Harry H. Holden, Claire DuBrey and others, besides Miss Clifford.

EAST END NEWS

The East End War Relief Committee urges all women to make a sacrifice and come help in the sewing rooms Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Orville Watkins left Sunday for Irwin, Pennsylvania, where he will work during the summer. He is preparing himself to enter college this fall. He intends starting on a course in dentistry at Howard University, Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Fannie Morton, of Cleveland, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Howard. She and her husband motored through to Columbus Saturday and Mrs. Morton came by rail to Xenia to visit relatives.

The rally at St. John's A. M. E. church Sunday was a success although the one thousand dollar mark was not reached. The rally amounted to \$625.91. Rev. Dr. Nichols preached two powerful sermons on the subject of giving. The church returns thanks to every one who aided them.

Mrs. A. C. Hawkins and Miss Thelma Hurst have returned from a pleasant two weeks' trip to Cincinnati, Covington and Newport.

Mrs. Robert Russell, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Scurry. Mrs. Russell has been spending a week with each of her sisters, Mrs. H. P. Talbert, at Wilberforce, Mrs. C. H. Scott and Mrs. A. C. Scurry, this city. Her husband is a leading pharmacist of Cincinnati and a former Xenian.

The men of First A. M. E. church conducted a three weeks' rally and realized Sunday \$71.76.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU IS TO BE OPENED

A plan which grew out of the regular meeting of the Social Service League, Monday night, to conduct an impromptu employment agency at the city building, in order to bring men who will cut weeds, with people who need such work done, will be put into effect at once.

During the recent campaign to get all the weeds in the city cut, it has been discovered that one of the most overworked excuses employed by people who have been served notices, is that they cannot secure the labor to perform the work. The Social Service League believes that such labor can easily be secured and in order to satisfy the demand, a list of men who will do such work will be kept at the City Building and anyone desiring help can secure it by calling there.

People who have been served notices or other people who are unable to secure help for housecleaning or yard cleaning will be put in touch with such labor by calling the City Building.

Over Half A MILLION PEOPLE

Used Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea last year. And most of them were old customers. This pure herb laxative wins new friends every day because of its action. If you are constipated or if your stomach is upset, get a package of Hollister's pure herbs today and use it tonight. No gripping, no re-education. And you will feel bulky in the morning. Prepared by Hollister Laboratories, Madison, Wisconsin.

GET IT AT DONGES

BURGLAR ALSO TRIED TO ENTER DR. KUHN OFFICE

Further trace of the burglar who secured rich hauls from the dentist offices of Dr. J. R. McCormick and Dr. A. C. McCormick, in the Allen Building, was found when Dr. G. W. Kuhn, dentist, in the Kingsbury Building, discovered that the door leading into his reception room had been tampered with.

Dr. Kuhn did not notice that he had been almost a victim of the robber when he opened up his office on Monday morning, but made the discovery in the afternoon that some instrument had been used in the attempt to pry the lock, as in the case of the office of Dr. J. R. McCormick.

The burglar was frustrated in this case, however, as he did not gain entrance to the office.

The matter was reported to the police Monday afternoon.

X. H. S. CLASS OF 1915 TO HAVE PICNIC

A class picnic to be held Friday evening at Kilkare park was evolved at a meeting of the Class of 1915 of Central High School, which was held when the class was entertained by Miss Mildred Prugh, at her home on East Church street.

Refreshments were served by Miss Prugh. The following class members were present: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bennington, Misses Majorie Flynn, Jane Santmyer, Isabelle Owens, Elma Oldham, Grace Oglesbee, Esther Anshel and Mildred Prugh, and William Anderson, Richard Gowdy, David Bryson and R. A. Higgins.

The Greene County Lumber Company

N. Detroit Street, Xenia
Citizens 126
Bell 342

"A Safe Place to Trade"

MRS. R. W. IRWIN IS CALLED BY DEATH AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS

After only five days illness of peritonitis, Mrs. Rosalee Irwin, wife of Rupert W. Irwin, agent for the Ohio Fuel Supply company in this city, died shortly before 8 o'clock, Monday night, at her home, 314 East Second street.

Taken ill suddenly last Wednesday night, Mrs. Irwin's condition was critical from the first and physicians gave the family little hope for her recovery.

Mrs. Irwin was born in Huntington, W. Va., and was 36 years old. She was orphaned at an early age, and with her sister, was reared by Mr. and Mrs. Harrold of Huntington, who took the part of parents toward the orphan sisters. She was married to Mr. Irwin in Huntington, and the family came to this city several years ago when Mr. Irwin was placed in charge of the local agency of The Ohio Fuel Supply Company.

With her husband, Mrs. Irwin leaves two children, Rupert and Elizabeth, the latter five years of age, and her sister, Mrs. Fred Toney of Huntington. She was a member of Trinity church.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 7:30 Tuesday evening, and the body will be sent to Huntington for burial, the family leaving here early Wednesday morning.

WHOLE FAMILY SICK

"All of my six brothers and sisters, as well as myself, have suffered since childhood from stomach and liver trouble and bloating. I thought it ran in the family and that I could never be cured, but, thanks to May's Wonderful Remedy, since taking it nearly a year ago I have been enjoying the best of health and feel like a new person. I have no trouble from anything I eat." It is a simple, nameless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sayre & Hemphill and druggists everywhere. adv

A USEFUL PAIN

Xenia People Should Heed Its Warning.

Have you a sharp pain or a dull ache across the small of your back? Do you realize that it's often a timely sign of kidney weakness? Prompt treatment is a safeguard against more serious kidney troubles. Use Doan's Kidney Pills. Profit by a Xenia resident's experience.

Mrs. A. C. Davis, Home Ave., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have surely been fine when we have used them. My kidney trouble was a weakness in my back and sharp pains through it. When I bent over, I could hardly straighten. Doan's Kidney Pills which I bought at Donges' drug store soon cured me and I haven't had any kidney trouble since. So I am sure the cure is permanent."

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COME TO THIS SALE EARLY—DON'T PUT OFF COMING UNTIL IT'S TOO LATE. THEN REGRET THAT YOU MISSED THIS SHOE FEAST.

Moser's GREAT SHOE SALE

REMEMBER THE DATES—
THURSDAY, JULY 11 To SATUR-
DAY, JULY 27th.
"SHOE UP NOW"

A Message to You!



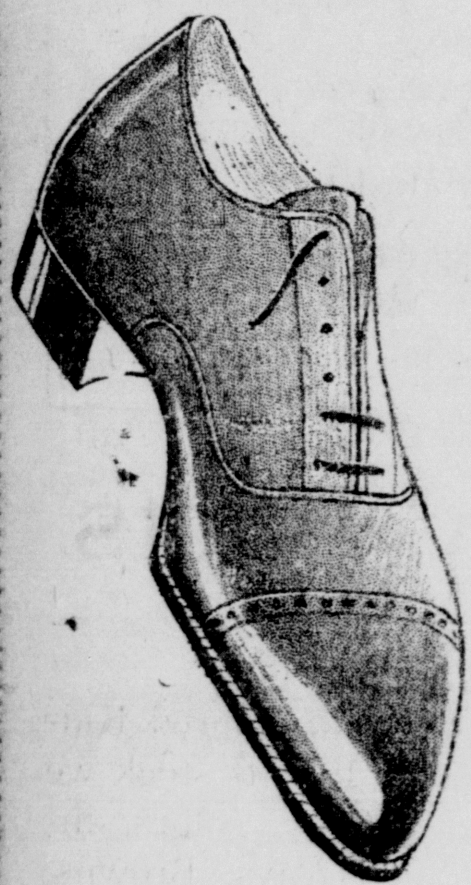
SHOE BARGAINS — IF YOU SEE
THEM YOU CAN'T RESIST BUYING

Sale Starts Thursday, July 11th, 9 a. m.

ATTRACTIVE PRICES ON HIGH GRADE

Oxfords for Men

READ THESE PRICES.



We are showing many styles in Men's Oxfords. We've the conservative and comfortable oxford for the man of affairs, and the "Smart stunts in Oxford building" for the young swell dressers who always wants something Swagger."

The black leathers are of Gun Metal, Vici or Kangaroo.

The colored leathers are of the New Mahogany shades and the New Dark Cherry shades.

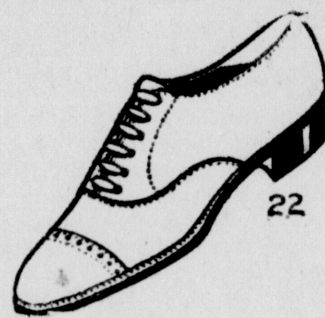
Some made by Stetson, valued at \$9.00 We want to sell em. We would rather count the money than the oxfords.

SALE PRICES
\$4.45, \$4.95, \$5.45
to \$6.95

Some Specials Men's Oxfords

Black or Tan leathers. Some have Fibre Soles and Rubber Heels, narrow receding toes or broad toe Styles, extra values priced at

\$3.45



White Oxfords for Men

White or Palm Beach Canvas Oxfords. Some Fibre Soles. These are the only Real Outing Shoes for Men. A Special lot Priced at

\$1.69

Others at \$3.45 to \$3.95

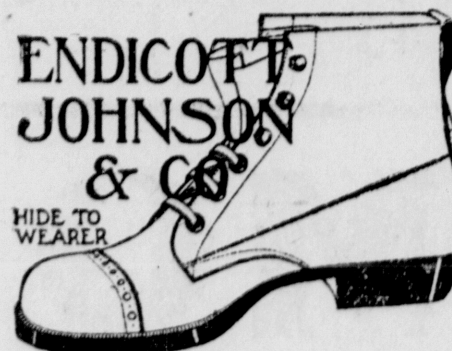
MEN'S SHOE SPECIAL—We have a few broken lines of Men's Shoes—Black and Tan leathers, button or lace styles. This lot consists of many small sizes. Sale price.

\$3.19

Work Shoes for Men!

Solid Leather Shoes!

We have built a splendid reputation with our Men's Work Shoes, because they wear well and are made to fit comfortable. Nailed sole or Welt soles, Black, Tans or Smoke leathers, \$3.50 to \$6.50 values



SALE PRICES \$2.95, \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.45 to \$5.95

Barefoot Sandals for the Kiddies.

Tan or Black. Sandals are the most comfortable play shoes for Children. Sale Prices: 69c, \$1.19, \$1.39 (According to size) Women's Sizes \$1.98

TENNIS SHOES SPECIAL.

(Annex Second Floor) Black or White Canvas. Men's Boys', Women's and Children's. All Sizes, 59c Reductions on all Tennis Shoes on the Main Floor.

MEN'S SUMMER WORK SHOES

One lot of light weight Summer Work Shoes for Men. These shoes are not water proof.

Special Price \$1.89

ANNEX DEPARTMENT—Second Floor)—The Prices in Our Annex Bargain Department are Cut Even More.

Men's Shoes

Black Gun Metal, Button or lace, broad or narrow toes, Priced at

\$2.49

Infants', Childs' and Misses' Shoes or Slippers

Patent or Dull Kid. Infants' 89c to \$1.19 Childs 95c to \$1.69 Misses' \$1.69 to \$1.98

Boys' Shoes

Gun Metal, lace or button Shoes, Youths' Sizes, \$1.69 to \$1.98 Boys' Sizes, \$1.89 to \$1.98

Men's Shoes



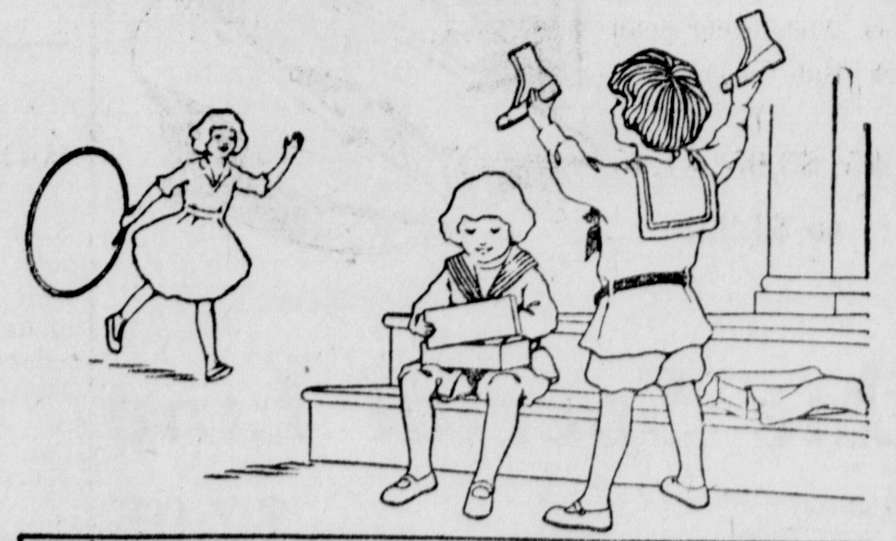
Prices Reduced—You can Afford High Grade Shoes at These Low Prices.

Shoes for Men who travel in the middle of the road of Footwear Fashions and who appreciate the limit of Foot Comfort. Conservative Styles for the middle age man, Smart Styles for the young fellow who wants to go the limit.

Black leathers of Gun Metal, Vici or Kangaroo. The new shades of Brown and Cherry Red Calfskin. Values to \$10.

Sale Prices

\$3.95, \$4.45, \$5.45
to \$7.95



Shoes and Slippers For Children

Now is the Time to "Shoeup" the Children.

Children's Shoes are certainly a great proposition. They're about the same problem in every Household that claims children. Our splendid shoes and painstaking service have brought comfort to many a home.

We are now offering Shoes and Slippers for Infants, Children, and Misses at Cut Prices. Black and colored leathers, some with different colored tops. Prices for Infants and childs.

98c, \$1.19, \$1.39, \$1.59, \$1.98, \$2.19 MISSES' SIZES UP TO \$3.95.

Shoe up the Children for the Future — You Can Save Money Now!



Youths' and Boys' Dress and Everyday Shoes and Oxfords, made of the very best material, button or lace, narrow toe and broad toe lasts, brown or black leather.

Sale Prices \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.19, \$3.45 to \$4.45 (According to Size)

BOY SCOUT SHOES—The kind that will stand the roughest wear, not a heavy shoe, but yet a very durable shoe.

Special During This Sale \$2.39 and \$2.69

**MOSER'S
SHOE STORE
XENIA**

MOSER'S



STARTS
Thursday, July 11
AND LASTS UNTIL
Saturday, July 27th
15 Big Shoe Bargain Days!

THIS SALE OFFERS A GREAT SAVING
OF SHOE MONEY.



SALE STARTS THURSDAY,
JULY 11th, AT 9 A.M.

You economize on everything else--here's a chance
to economize on your Shoe Bills!

No Economical Person in Greene County Can Afford to Overlook MOSER'S GREAT SHOE SALE!

Have you a Small foot? A Wonderful offering of Women's Pumps and Strap Slippers.

Odds and ends lot of small sizes, 2 1-2 to 4 1-2, Patents, Dulls and Kids, low or high heels.

Sale Price While they last **49c**

The Lot Consists of Over 100 Pairs.

Low Shoes

FOR WOMEN!

Our regular stock of Pumps, Oxfords, and Strap Slippers, Patents, Dulls, Kids and colors. Absolutely clean stock. Sale prices,

\$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.45 to \$4.95.



One Special Line

Of Patent Kid Strap Slippers and Pumps. values to \$5.00, sale price only **\$2.95**

This is a Mid-Season Sale, so you will have plenty of time left to wear low shoes.

No, we are Not Going Out of Business. We're simply clearing up our Stock by the Power of CUT PRICES!

White Low Shoes

White Canvas Pumps or Straps, very nice styles, low or high heels, Special Sale Price that will sell them **\$1.49**



OTHER STYLES of White Low Shoes that we are going to sell cheap. We want to "clean up" the entire stock of white low shoes so the prices must be very low—Our other sale prices are

\$1.95, \$2.45 to \$2.95.

These will sell very Fast.

Shoe Prices have taken a tumble and Opportunity is Knocking loudly at your door! Our Shoe Clearance Sale, this Season brings to you a MONEY SAVING PROPOSITION that is unusual. Shoe Prices, as every one knows have advanced wonderfully of late and this sale means A GREAT SAVING OF SHOE MONEY!

SHOE
PRICES
DOWN!
GOOD
VALUES
AS USUAL!



BUY ALL
THE SHOES
YOU'LL
NEED
FOR
MONTHS TO
COME.

YOU CAN'T BEAT THESE PRICES!

CLEAN-UP WOMEN'S SHOES

With white kid or canvas tops, low and high heels, lace style. These are not out of date shoes. A few other colored kid shoes in the lot sale price.

\$2.45



SPECIAL PRICE ON BLACK HIGH SHOES FOR WOMEN.

A lot of odds and ends of high grade shoes. These are our broken lines. You'll find all sizes in this lot, but not all sizes in every style.

Patent, Dull, and Kid leathers, low or high heels, button or lace styles, value to \$6. ALL ON PRICE DURING OUR SALE.

\$2.89

MOSER'S

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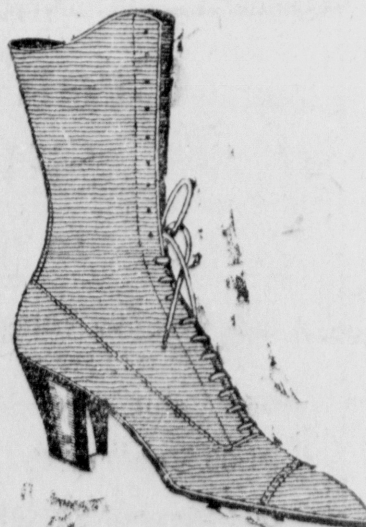
SHOE STORE

Xenia, Ohio

Reduction of Our Regular Stock of WOMEN'S SHOES

Our entire stock of Women's high grade shoes will be reduced. All styles that formerly sold for \$5 to \$10.

\$3.95, \$4.45, \$4.95, \$5.45 to \$7.95



Grover Shoes For Women

High grade Shoes, built by manufacturers that know how to make shoes. Comfort shoes and Durability, have made Grover shoes a wonderful reputation.

We offer you all over kid shoes and some with cloth tops, low heels, Cuban heels and Louis heels, \$6 and \$7 values. Special price,

\$4.95

(All New Stock)

ANNEX—(Second Floor)

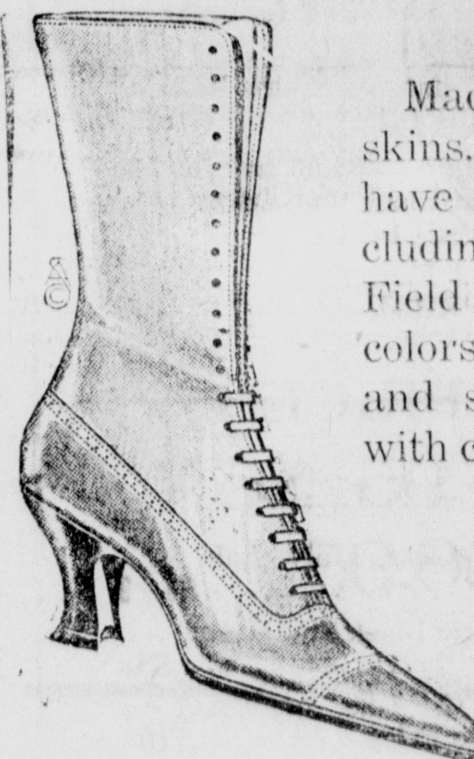
There's always bargains in this department but during this sale we are offering even greater bargains. Our Sale Prices on Women's Shoes, Patents, or Kid Leathers, lace or button style, Low or high heels, will be 1.98 to \$2.49.

Nearly Three Hundred Pairs of Women's Pumps and Strap Slippers! Patent, Dull or Kid Leathers, a variety of Styles made with High or Low Heels. This lot of Shoes consists of all clean stock and you will find your size

Special Sale Prices.
\$1.95 AND \$2.45

You Can't Afford to Miss This Shoe Sale.

Novelty Boots



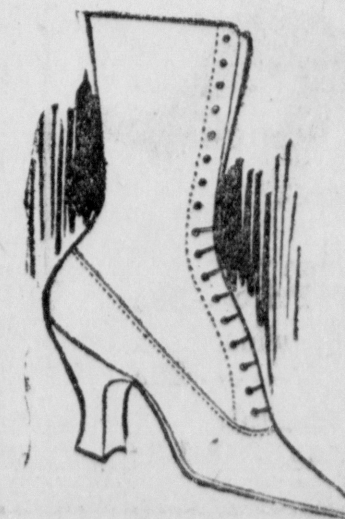
Made of colored Kid-skins. In this stock we have many colors, including Grays, Browns, Field Mouse and other colors. Some of all kid and some styles made with cloth tops to match.

The lines of these shoes are good, the long pointed toes lend a graceful appearance to the foot. Heels, high or medium, some of these shoes were priced as high as \$14. Sale Prices.

\$4.95, \$5.95, \$6.95, \$7.45, \$7.95 to \$9.95.

The First Buyers at this Shoe Sale will have First Choice, but the last won't regret coming.

White Shoes for Women



White Kidskin Lace Boots, high Louis Heels \$10, \$12 values.

\$7.95 AND \$9.95

A Late Shipment
WHITE SHOES MADE OF
REINSKIN

This is the most satisfactory white shoe made. It cleans very well and wears good. Louis Heels or Military Heels. \$6.00 and \$6.50 values

\$4.95

WHITE CANVAS SPORT SHOES.

The only shoes that are really cool to wear in summer are White Shoes. We are offering great "clean up" prices on our Stock of White Shoes.

Sale Prices **\$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.95 and \$3.45**

July Clearance Sales

Our Sale Begins
Thursday, July 11th

Undoubtedly the Most Important Sale We Ever Held Begins Here THURSDAY MORNING. Merchandise is Scarce; Wholesale Prices are Steadily Rising, yet in Spite of these Conditions each Department Offers Seasonable Merchandise at Unexpectedly Low Prices.

Our Sale Closes
Saturday, July 20th

JULY CLEARANCE OF SUMMER

Dresses

It is by no means too late to buy a Summer Frock or Two. Easily afforded at these Prices.

Dresses of Georgette and Crepe de Chine, in Black and Colors. Values up to \$39.75.	
July Sale Price	\$24.75
Dresses of Georgette and Crepe de Chine, Values up to \$29.75. July Sale Price	\$19.75
Dresses of Foulard, Values up to \$12.50. Chine, Values up to \$22.50. July Sale Price	\$13.50
Dresses, Values up to \$15.00. July Sale Price	\$9.95
Dresses of Foulard, Values up to \$12.50. July Sale Price	\$6.95
\$5.00 Gingham Dresses, Sale Prices	\$2.95
\$5.95 Gingham Dresses, Sale Price	\$4.49

MILLINERY AT CLEARING PRICES

Stylish Models—Ones you will need for wear all Summer Long.

Women's, Misses' and Children's Sport Hats at HALF PRICE.

That is a \$2.00 hat for \$1.00 — \$1.00 hat for 50c Untrimmed Shapes in Black and Colors, HALF PRICE.

Feathers and Flowers, HALF PRICE.

HOSIERY AT A SAVING.

\$2.00 Silk Hose, light colors, July Sale Price	\$1.39
\$1.00 and \$1.25 Pure Thread Black Silk Hose July Sale Price	85c
Children's Cotton Hose 12 1-2c quality, white, all sizes, July Sale Price	10c

JULY CLEARANCE OF UNDERWEAR.

Men's Balbriggan Shirts, sizes 34 to 36, 50c Values, July Sale Price	35c
Men's Knit Union Suits, Athletic Style, Values up to \$1.50. Sale Price	69c
Misses' Union Suits 25c and 35c values, July Sale Price	19c
One assorted lot of Women's Vests, Pants and Union Suits, Values up to 50c, July Sale Price	19c

BUY WASH FABRICS.

Cotton is Continually Advancing.
Profit by These Values.

Colored Voiles in Foulard and Gingham patterns, Values up to 50c, July Sale Price ..	39c
Fancy White Goods, 36 in. and 40 in. wide, Values up to 39c. July Sale Price	29c
27 in. Printed Lawns, Values up to 19c. July Sale Price	8 1-3c

July Clearance of Suits and Coats

From the Entire Group You Will Find a Suit or Coat to Your Liking and at an Unusual Saving.

THE COATS

Coats of all Wool Serge in Tan, Navy and Black, Values up to \$15.00. July Sale Price	\$9.95
Coats in Poplins, Serges, Velours and Gunburls, Values up to \$22.50. Sale Price	\$11.95
Coats in Wool Poplins and Serges, Values up to \$35.00. Price	\$16.95
Coats in Wool Poplins and Serges, Values up to \$40.00. Sale Price	\$19.75
Coats in Tricotines, Silvertone and Men's-wear, Serges, Values up to \$45.00. July Sale Price	\$24.75
Children's Coats, sizes 2 to 14 years in July Sale at HALF PRICE.	

THE SUITS

Suits of Serge, values up to \$20.00, July Sale Price	\$9.95
Suits in Serges and Checks, Tan and Copen, Values up to \$25.00, Sale Price	\$12.95
Suits of Wool Poplin, Serge, Gabardine, and Tricotine in Navy, Black, Tan and Copen, Values up to \$30.00. Sale Price	\$14.95
Suits of Serges, Jersey Poirer Twill, Tricotone in Navy, Tan and Copen, Values up to \$40. Sale Price	\$19.75
Suits of Serge, Wool Poplin Gabardine and Tricotone in Tan, Navy and Gray, Values up to \$42.50. Sale Price	\$24.75
Suits of Silk, Tricotone, Gabardine and Serge, in Black, Navy and Tan, Values up to \$45. Sale Price	\$29.75

Sale Prices
For Cash Only

Footwear in July Clearance

No Approvals
Or Exchanges

Our Entire Stock of Pumps and Oxfords with the exception of a few Styles where sizes are not broken will be put on Sale at Clearance Prices. The highest price will be \$2.95 and some of these retailed as high as \$6.00. They will be divided into three lots:—**\$2.95—\$1.95—\$1.00.**



THE \$1.00 LOT CONSISTS OF:

Satin Slippers, odd sizes, white black, and blue **\$1.00** |

THE \$1.95 LOT CONSISTS OF:

Women's Patent Pumps, \$5.00 Values, Growing Girls white strap Pumps \$3.75 values; Patent, low heel pumps, \$4.00 values. All go for **\$1.95** |

One lot Misses Strap Pumps, Patent and Dull Leathers, \$2.50 values, July Sale Price **\$1.95** |



THE \$2.95 LOT CONSISTS OF:

One lot of white Lace Boots, Black and Brown Kid Pumps and Oxfords, low and high heels, Values up to \$6.00, July Sale Price **\$2.95** |

SHEETING In July Clearance

60c 6/4 Bleached Sheeting for	49c
65c 7/4 Bleached Sheeting for	54c
70c 8/4 Bleached Sheeting for	59c
75c 9/4 Bleached Sheeting for	64c
80c 10/4 Bleached Sheeting for	69c
65c 8/4 Unbleached Sheeting for	54c
70c 9/4 Unbleached Sheeting for	59c
75c 10/4 Unbleached Sheeting for	64c
36 in. 45c Pillow Tubing for	36c
40 in. 47 1-2c Pillow Tubing for	40c

Cretonnes and Silkolines In July Clearance.

45c, 49c, 50c Value of Cretonnes, July Sale Price	39c
75c Value of Cretonne, July Sale Price	63c
\$1.00 Value of Cretonne, July Sale Price	83c
30c Figured Silkolines, July Sale Price	23c
25c Plain Silkoline, July Sale Price	19c

July Clearance of WAISTS

You can't have too many waists for Summer Wear. Prices and Styles are Equally Attractive.

Georgette Waists in White, Flesh and Colors, Values up to \$7.50. Sale Price	\$4.95
Georgette Waists in White, Flesh and Colors, Values up to \$8.50. Sale Price	\$5.95
Georgette Waists, values up to \$3.95. Sale Price	\$2.95
Colored Striped Voile and Tissue Waists, \$2.50 values at	\$1.49
Crepe de Chine Waists in White and Flesh, \$3.50 and \$3.95 Values, Sale Price	\$2.95

An Interesting Offer of

SILKS

An Unusual Variety at Attractive Prices.

36 in. and 40 in. Foulard Silks, \$2.00 and \$2.75 Values, July Sale Price	\$1.49
36 in. Plain Taffeta, \$2.00 Values, a good range of colors, July Sale Price	\$1.49
36 in. Striped Taffeta and Plaid Silk, Values up to \$2.00, July Sale Price	\$1.49

FIBRE SILK & WOOL SWEATERS In July Clearance.

\$10.00 Sweaters, Sale Price	\$6.95
\$8.75 Sweaters, Sale Price	\$5.95
\$3.75 Sleeveless Sweaters, Sale Price	\$2.49

A Clearance of Corsets BROKEN SIZES.

Special assortment of low and medium bust models made of batiste and broche in white and pink, a variety of makes that sold up to \$3.50. Grouped together and Specially Priced at **\$1.89** |

DOMESTICS IN JULY CLEARANCE.

75c Value, French Gingham, Sale Price	59c
Red Seal Gingham, 35c Values in Checks, Shirting stripes and Hospital Stripes, July Sale Price	29c
One Lot Gingham, 30c Values, Sale Price	23c
Union Washed Crash Toweling, 20c grade, July Sale Price	16 2-3c
Kennebec Muslin Unbleached, 25c Value, 6 yards for	\$1.00
24 yards for	\$4.00
12 yards Bolt Old Glory Long Cloth, 30c value, July Sale Price	\$3.00

JOBE BROTHERS COMPANY